

I-57/74 INTERCHANGE RECONSTRUCTION

CHAMPAIGN-URBANA



A I-57 to I-74 Ramp Closure

The ramp from southbound I-57 to eastbound I-74 closed indefinitely on Dec. 1 in area A. The closure is necessary to build embankments and bridge piers for the new flyover bridge and the temporary ramp atop the loop.

B Temporary Ramp Opens Feb. 2022

The temporary connection from eastbound I-74 to southbound I-57 is shown in area B.

C Installation of New Culverts

There are five locations within the project limits where the interstate median has been built up, as in area C. All five of these “bump-outs” are currently in use. As work progresses, traffic will be pushed to the middle two lanes in each direction to begin construction of five culverts. In spring 2022, traffic will be diverted to the outside lanes while the middle parts of the culverts are completed.

D Culvert Parameters

One of the five new culverts will carry water under the interstate and ramps. The ramps for eastbound I-74 to southbound and northbound I-57 will cross the interstate as far as indicated in area D.

E I-57 to I-74 Ramp Alignment

Part of the alignment for the new southbound I-57 to eastbound I-74 ramps are indicated in area E. This demonstrates how much larger the new ramps of the interchange will be.

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